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RE-INSTATED BY GOVERNMENT, DR. BAKER RESIGNS

Re-appointed After Being Exonerated by Commissioner Shaw

But Game Board Head Immediately Hands Resignation to Cabinet

After being reinstated in his position as Chairman of the Game Conservation Board, Dr. A. R. Baker has tendered his resignation to the Provincial Government, and it has been accepted.

The announcement is contained in the following statement issued today by Hon. J. D. MacLean, Acting Premier, as follows: "As a result of the findings of Magistrate H. C. Shaw, Commissioner appointed to investigate charges against Dr. A. R. Baker, which charged alleged malpractices of other and other grave improprieties of official conduct in connection with the affairs of the Game Conservation Board of which Dr. Baker was chairman, the Executive Council, after hearing the report, 17, after giving lengthy consideration to the Commissioner's report, decided that Dr. Baker was entitled to re-instatement to the office of Chairman from which he was suspended pending the outcome of the results of the inquiry."

"While Dr. Baker has been the target for much malicious personal and political criticism, the findings of Judge Shaw completely exonerates Dr. Baker from any wrong done in the administration of the Game Conservation Board. In addition, the administration has not been wholly above criticism, he was entitled to British fair play, and as is the custom in police and other branches of the provincial service, when the suspended officer is exonerated, he is entitled to re-instatement."

"On receipt of his notice of reinstatement, Dr. Baker immediately tendered his resignation as Chairman of the Game Conservation Board, and as director of the B. C. Patriotic and Educational Pictures. In his letter of resignation says, "I have been anxious for some time to be relieved of my duties, I now know that I may freely do so, shall be glad to have my resignation accepted forthwith."

"The Executive Council has accepted his resignation," Dr. MacLean stated.

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TO ARRIVE TO-MORROW

**TWO SAVED AND SEVEN PERISHED**

Sea Tragedy on the Coast of Florida

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 22.—The Morgan Line steamer, El Oriente, arriving from New York, brought the story of a sea tragedy in which seven men lost their lives after enduring days of suffering. The men were the crew of the Pensacola schooner Caldwell H. Colt, which was wrecked on a Florida reef February 13 in a gale.

The El Oriente brought one of the survivors, Captain L. A. Smith, master of the schooner. The other survivor was picked up by a British tanker and taken to New Orleans.

The nine men clung for several days without food or drink to the schooner's wave-swept deck, then one by one dropped off until four were left. One of these, Frank Brooks, was swept away on a hooky patch and he was the survivor later found.

Captain Smith, Joseph Meuse and Francis Nebraska, floating on the deck of the wrecked schooner, were sighted Monday afternoon by the El Oriente. Before they could be rescued Nebraska fell from the reef, exhausted and drowned. Meuse died shortly after being rescued, and was buried at sea at sundown last Monday.

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DEPUTATION TO WAIT ON MINISTER

Desire Re-building of Bridge Across Nanaimo River

(By Times Correspondent)

Nanaimo, B.C., Feb. 21.—According to the estimates of the Board of School Trustees, as submitted to the City Council last evening, the expenditure on the schools of this City during the current year will total upwards of \$46,000, of which total not less than \$49,628 is for salaries.

The most important items are as follows: Salaries, \$49,628; night school, \$1,000; teacher's salaries, \$2,000; insurance, \$438; domestic science, \$350; marital supplies, \$300; school supplies, \$600; High School supplies, \$385; kindergarten, \$200; lighting, \$100; medical, \$600; repairs, \$2,000.

Provided the Finance Committee can raise the money the Sewerage Committee of the City Council contemplates spending by the Board of Education, the new bridge over the Nanaimo River will be completed in time to open to traffic.

The City Council referred the Finance Committee to the Finance Committee for consideration. The estimates were as follows:

Milton Kennedy, \$255; Franklin Street, \$700; Necat, & Caven, \$1,100; Needham Street, \$1,200; Halliburton & Gillespie Streets, \$350; Sebastian Street, \$575; Crace Street, \$725; Fitzwilliam, \$375; Irwin, \$1,750; Bins Street, \$975; St. James, \$1,000. The estimates also recommended that in addition to the above the sum of \$500 be allowed for maintenance and operating expenses.

The City Council at last night's meeting appointed Mayor, Alderman Raine, a committee to wait upon the Provincial Minister of Public Works regarding Government assistance in rebuilding the bridge over the Nanaimo River, carrying the pipe line to the South Forks, which bridge was swept away by flood last Friday.

Communication was received from Mr. William Hancock asking for a refund of the Cricket Grounds for a junior football game on February 28. Referred to Parks and Properties Committee.

John Shaw, Secretary for the National Council of Women, asking for the annual annual grant from the Council to the Hospital Board. The application was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report.

Communication was received from the Trustee of the First United Church asking their willingness to accept the refund of \$27,595 which had been offered them by the City in connection with the exempted church lands.

Twenty-four applications were received for the new bridge, of which 14 were made by the resignation from the City Hall staff of Frank Morgan, the appointment being given to Thomas James, who for the past ten years has been connected with the staff of the local branch of the Merchants' Association.

The Legislative Committee reported that it had considered the communication of B. R. Bell containing suggestions and recommendations regarding the civic finances, and had come to the conclusion that the time was not opportune for the changes recommended by Mr. Bell.

Sanitary Inspector Murdoch reported 32 nuisances and complaints had been attended to during the past week, and that three animals had been impounded.

The Public Works Manager reported an expenditure of \$166.50 on streets during the past week.

Everything is in readiness for the fully dance to be held in the Odd Fellows' Hall on Wednesday, February 22, by the Malaspina Chapter, I. O. D. E. The patrollers will be Mrs. W. W. Dobson, Mrs. (Dr.) Drysdale, Miss U. Dobson, Mrs. A. Randle and Mrs. J. Parkinson.

Fancy dress is optional. The hall is being very tastefully decorated in the Poly colors of black and white by a committee of which Miss Winnie Pollard is chairman.

The programme for the dance is as follows: Waltz, Swansie River Moon; one step, Down South; fox trot, Smilin' waltz, Jennie; Brownie step, Smart Little Fellow; fox trot, Bon Swa Julia; Malaspina waltz, When Shall We Meet Again; one step, Baby; schottische, Dear Old Moon; fox trot, Wana; one step, Andrew; waltz, Nobody Knows How I Miss You. Repeat.

OBITUARY RECORD

The remains of the late Mrs. Jeanette Bruce Elliott, whose death occurred Saturday, February 18, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon the cortège proceeding from the Thomson Funeral Home at 2:30 o'clock and 15 minutes later service was held at the Emmanuel Baptist Church. The Rev. William Elliott officiated. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." There was an unusually large attendance of sympathizing friends, testifying to the esteem in which the late Mrs. Elliott was held. The following acted as pallbearers: J. Hall, D. Francis, E. J. Righy, R. Clements, J. Shampenny, W. J. Chave. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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SIR ARTHUR CURRIE SPOKE IN NEW YORK

Guest of Graduates of McGill University

New York, Feb. 22.—(Canadian Press)—General Sir Arthur Currie, late commander of the Canadian Army in France and at present head of McGill University, Montreal, was the guest of honour on Friday night at the twenty-seventh annual dinner of the New York Graduate Society of McGill. Among the 200 guests and

members were representatives from Queen's University, Kingston, and British schools and the University Club of New York.

EFFORT TO STOP SPREAD OF DISEASE FROM RUSSIA

Paris, Feb. 22.—The League of Nations is organizing a conference to be held in Warsaw some time during March to arrange for the establishment of a sort of sanitary "No Man's Land" between Russia and bordering states. The object is to prevent infected persons from bringing typhus and cholera westward when the winter breaks up.

HOME BURNED; FAMILY ESCAPED

Nelson, Feb. 22.—Fire destroyed the residence of Arthur Stromsted on the Granite Road one mile from Nelson shortly after midnight. Mr. and Mrs. Stromsted and two children barely escaping in their nightclothing.

DIED IN ITALY.

Montreal, Feb. 22.—Word was received here that Eugenie Archambault Rainville, wife of H. B. Rainville, former Speaker of the Quebec Legislative Assembly, died yesterday in Naples, Italy. Mrs. Rainville was born in L'Assomption sixty-five years ago.

CURRIE SPEAKS IN PHILADELPHIA

Head of McGill Honored by University

Philadelphia, Feb. 22. It was the inevitable working of poetic justice in human history that the greatest conference ever held in the interest of peace should meet nearly a century and a half after George Washington's struggles and triumphs, General Sir Arthur W. Currie, head of McGill University, Montreal, declared to-day.

Sir Arthur was the orator of the day at the University of Pennsylvania's Washington's Birthday exercises. After his address the former Canadian Army leader and General Pershing were honored with the degree of Doctor of Laws, conferred by the University.

"Washington's ideals still live upon the earth," Sir Arthur said. "The men and boys who went out from your country and mine to die on foreign fields for their principles during the recent years of world trouble were true to him in spirit. They too like another of your statesmen would have liberty or death. And surely above their graves, with the Anglo-Saxon ideals of Washington to strengthen us, we shall remember in the future only the common cause for which our race has always struggled."

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EXPERT ON WILLS

MADE NO WILL

Chicago Attorney Died Without Leaving Instructions

Chicago, Feb. 22.—John S. Miller, one of the best known will experts in the country, who died last week, failed to make his own will, it was disclosed yesterday when his son, John S. Miller, Jr., also an attorney, applied for papers to administer the estate.

The elder Mr. Miller devoted a large part of his practice to specializing in drawing wills.

SAYS DEPRESSION IN GREAT BRITAIN WILL CONTINUE

London, Feb. 22.—(Canadian Press)—Sir George Paish, president of the Royal Automobile Association, said yesterday that the depression of the federation showed there was little hope of a general revival of either home or export trade in the near future. Everything indicated that the present state of depression might continue another year or longer.



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Showing blows, he said, had been delivered by the recently-elected, which had gone against the Government and showed the way the wind was blowing. The Government, said Sir John, had lost the confidence of the people. The Government resembled a badly constructed cinematograph film, all jerks and jumps, with flashes of light and patches of darkness. Nobody knew what would happen.

To INCREASE EXPORT TRADE OF CANADA

Toronto, Feb. 22.—Canadian manufacturers are becoming aroused to the benefits of showing their products in London, England.

On February 6 the Department of Trade and Commerce published in its weekly journal an article by A. T. Wilgress, Canadian Government Commissioner, specially assigned to interview the big independent houses of London who act as purchasing agents for the world markets.

He said that goods would be very welcome, but could not be considered unless manufacturers had permanent representation in London, with samples and prices available.

A few Canadian manufacturers and exporters have now completed arrangements for a permanent exhibition in London, with selling service for all departments. All commercial exhibitions are valuable assets to seller and buyer, but for export purposes continuity of effort is the only method of producing permanent results.

An invitation is being extended to all Canadian manufacturers to cooperate by taking space and showing their products. The men behind this national enterprise are planning eventually to show all classes of Canadian products in Cape Town, Melbourne, Buenos Ayres and other capitals.

LADY GLEICHEN DIED IN LONDON

Succumbed in St. James Palace; Sculptor and Painter

London, Feb. 22.—Lady Feodora Gleichen died in St. James Palace today. It was because of her illness that parties given by the King and Queen in honor of Princess Mary's coming wedding were transferred to Buckingham Palace.

It is officially stated that the death will not cause any alteration in the wedding plans.

Lady Gleichen was unmarried and the widow of the late Admiral Prince Victor of Hohenlohe-Langenberg. She attained considerable success as a sculptor and painter.

URGES FINER APPLES BE GROWN

Sir George Paish Gives Advice to Britishers

London, Feb. 22.—(Canadian Press)—Addressing a congress of fruitgrowers and market gardeners in London yesterday on the possibilities of meeting foreign competition, Sir George Paish, assistant director of the Overseas Trade Department, said England was by far the greatest competitor of Canada in the world. The first duty of British producers was to examine the methods which enabled the overseas growers chiefly American and Canadian, to place their produce in the English market at a price and in condition which stood comparison with the home produce. It was essential that the home grower should severely restrict the varieties he cultivated.

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Salem, Ore., Feb. 22.—A new world's record in the senior two-year-old Jersey class is being completed by St. Maes Pretty Lady, owned by Lester C. Daniels, near Tillamook, Oregon.

This record, it is said, will be over \$20 pounds of butter fat in one year. The official figure will not be an

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Vancouver, Feb. 22.—Innis Hopkins, of the British Columbia Marine, Ltd., was elected president of the Metal Trades Employers' Association of British Columbia at the annual meeting of the association here last night. Retiring President D. A. McIntosh was elected honorary president.

Other officers elected are: First vice-president, Eric Davies; second vice-president, W. J. Reid; honorary treasurer, J. Latta; executive committee, Messrs. F. T. Cope, D. A. McIntosh, H. J. Little, J. Howard and A. B. Weeks.

CANADA SHOULD HAVE NO SLUMS

Governor-General Addresses Montreal Women's Canadian Club

Montreal, Feb. 22.—Baron Byng of Vimy, addressing the Women's Canadian Club here yesterday, referred to some of Montreal's slum properties and pointed out that there was evidently small reason for their existence in a young country. Then he touched on the lack of playgrounds for children here, and said it was the dead rather than the living who were allowed to utilize the city's great playgrounds. Finally he spoke of the sufferings of dumb animals as evidenced by the number of lame horses he had noticed in and around the city.

The Governor-General said he was trying to develop a "Montreal conscience" and that in doing so it had suffered three little pin pricks from what he had seen during his stay here.

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OUR LUMBER EXPORTS.

From the figures published in our issue of yesterday it will be

possible to glean a considerable amount of satisfaction in respect of the substantial increase of British Columbia's water-borne timber exports during the last three years under the administration of the Hon. T. D. Pattullo. While the grand totals in themselves are sufficiently eloquent to inspire confidence in the healthy development of one of our most important industries the detailed statistics which indicate the several markets and their individual increase contain especial encouragement.

In the year 1919 this Province shipped 17,183,430 feet in board measurement to China, and although the following year the total export to this market was something like two millions of feet less, the business with China last year increased to nearly forty-two millions of feet. What is true of the Chinese market is a good deal more emphasized in the turnover for the three years with Japan. In 1919 the Island Kingdom bought 4,677,730 feet and increased her business in 1920 to 5,990,266 feet; but in 1921 there is an enormous advance revealed in that Japan imported our timber to the extent of nearly fifty-two and a half millions of feet. Next in point of increased business comes the United States to whom we sold in 1919 5,259,346 in comparison with a similar quantity in 1920 and the greatly increased amount of 52,553,543 in 1921. It is also worth noting that while we shipped nothing to Egypt in either 1919 or 1921 we sold more than eight and a half millions of feet to that part of the world last year. India and the Straits Settlements have shown a similar increase from less than half a million feet in 1919 to nearly eight and a half millions in 1921.

These detailed figures and the large increases noted help to swell the totals for the three years as follows: 1919, 108,872,266; 1920, 146,624,269; 1921, 188,733,299. In this connection it should be noted that while our business with the Orient has increased to such an enormous extent shipments to Great Britain and the Continent in 1921 dropped to thirteen and a half millions as compared with sixty-five and sixty-one millions respectively in the two preceding years. But this is easily accounted for. The record business of 1919 included the large residue of aeroplane spruce which had been obtained for the British Government and whose orders still held good after the armistice had been signed. Then again the business of 1920 was bolstered by the final shipments of the seventy million feet of railway ties for which the British Government contracted during the previous twelve months.

On the other hand last year's business with Great Britain is considerably short of a normal turnover. Here again there is an obvious reason. At the end of the war the British Government discovered an enormous stock of lumber for which it had no use. What it did was to dispose of it to the industry as a whole at bargain counter prices. Hence the demand fell off. Add to this the fact that the Swedish and Finnish markets were able to advance the exchange argument as a reason why any import business that the British manufacturer might be prepared to do should be done through them and last year's figures are easily understood. Needless to observe this is merely a temporary decline in the shipments to Great Britain and the Continent. When European exchange recovers there should be a substantial reflection of the missionary work that is now being carried on under the supervision of the Minister of Lands.

One of the most encouraging signs in the report referred to in the tremendous increase in the reliable proof that all parties are

Oriental trade. Japan, of course, will buy still larger amounts from this Province if she maintains her present policy of conservation in the Island Kingdom. That is to say rather than run the risk of denuding her own forest areas she is prepared to prohibit further extensive cuts for a period of thirty years. If this programme shall be maintained British Columbia's opportunity would seem to be clearly set forth. In any case the figures for the last three years are highly encouraging and reflect due credit upon the Timber Exporter's Association as well as on the official Department concerned.

NOT TAKING A TITLE.

For the fourth time in his long and distinguished career Mr. Balfour has declined the offer of some mark of distinction by which his Sovereign would have signified the nation's appreciation of deeds well and truly performed. This is typical of the man as it was typical of men like Gladstone who have been content to permit the record of their achievements to remain a solitary monument of devotion to duty. It is an attitude of refreshing contrast with the political manoeuvring of the lesser lights who churn the seas of publicity until the roar shall have attracted the requisite amount of attention. In Mr. Balfour's case he may take unto himself the satisfactory knowledge that his greatest work has been performed in the service of his country and humanity as a whole after his arrival at the allotted span of years—after he had almost withdrawn from the maelstrom of public life.

A FINE EXAMPLE.

Whether or not it would be possible to inaugurate a proposal whereby five hundred people in the City of Victoria could be induced to contribute one hundred dollars apiece towards a fund for the relief of unemployment, Mr. C. A. Gillespie's offer to head such a subscription list with the amount mentioned is a type of public spiritedness that is highly valuable in any community. It is all the more commendable in Mr. Gillespie's case since he is not yet—although he soon will be—a permanent resident of this city. None the less he is sufficiently convinced of Victoria's future to warrant his own initiative in any procedure which could in any way be turned to the benefit of the community as a whole. If this spirit so soon seizes the visitor in one instance who shall say that Mr. Gillespie's enthusiasm might not be repeated many times? The business management of this city and the people as whole it in their power to permit Victoria to be an active magnet for many new and useful citizens. For the moment Mr. Gillespie has set an excellent example.

SINN FEIN'S DECISION.

When Sir James Craig observed some months ago that the time would come when Irishmen would discover common ground upon which to erect a lasting peace in Erin's Isle he obviously disclosed an Irishman's understanding of the Irish. Since that time he has conferred with his ancient foe—not altogether successfully, perhaps, as one is wont to judge political results; but with sufficient promise to warrant ample expectancy of a final and satisfactory settlement of such a knotty problem as the boundary controversy. To-day's dispatches reveal another unexpected example of an Irish consent to differ and a willingness to try again—the possibility of eventual harmony between Michael Collins and Eamonn de Valera.

The decision of the Ard Fheis to delay the elections for three months is a disappointing turn of events; at the same time if the "republicans" keep faith and refrain from any course that would prejudice the case of Michael Collins there is even a possibility that the eventual election issue may be less acute than might have been supposed. An agreement to disregard constitutional precedent in the Dail Eireann would not endanger the Provisional Government in the event of a snap verdict against its policies. That is a fairly reliable proof that all parties are

anxious that the judgment of the world shall not go against them. Therein lies Ireland's hope.

NOTE AND COMMENT

Premier Lloyd George and Premier Poincaré have agreed to meet "somewhere in France" to discuss the agenda for Geneva. If is reported that the situation in Asia Minor and reparations will be dealt with. If they are not there would not be much objection in meeting.

It is beginning to look as if the aeroplane will maintain a more reliable status in the aeronautical world than the lighter-than-air machine for some time to come. Yesterday's ghastly business at the naval base on Hampton Roads will send a shudder through the world. Following so closely after the disastrous mishap in Britain it comes as a double shock to our good friends across the border.

The Hertford Town Council is naturally offended because the Home Secretary has refused to submit to His Majesty's Council a congratulatory address on the coming marriage of Princess Mary. The reason given by the official in question is that Hertford has assumed the title "Royal" without permission.

The corporation replies that

from earliest times the castle and town has been Crown property.

Newspapers take the stand that the King would be quite ready to set "the officious Home Secretary" an example of courtesy. Yes; but what a frightful thing for Hertford to do to be sure!

AIRSHIP DISASTER IS INVESTIGATED

(Continued from page 1.)

misfortune that caused the ship's rudder to tilt and thereby rendered 410-foot craft unmanageable. It is possible that the inquiry would take notice of reports that the bag of the Roma, constructed in Italy, was rotten, although officers at the field declined to discuss such reports.

Developments.

In connection with the forthcoming inquiry, these developments, some officers said had been established definitely:

First that the left rudder of the Roma gave way when she was less than a mile from where she went down near the army base station.

Second, that there was no fire on the ship until after the tilt began as a result of the right hand side rudder going into an almost vertical position.

Third, that the craft became unmanageable as she swooped over the base reservation, narrowly missing a 150-foot smokestack of the central heating plant.

By Electricity.

Fourth, that the immediate cause of the explosion, which had such

force as to wreck the entire craft, set her on fire, was caused with a network of 2200-volt high-power electric wires less than 100 feet from where the Roma crashed into a pile of

Fifth, that the Liberty motors which were being tested, were not responsible for the disaster unless something more tangible should be found than appears to-day.

The point which the army board of investigation, which will be organized to-day, will decide is what caused the rudder supports to give way.

British Comments.

London, Feb. 22.—News of the destruction of the United States army dirigible Roma is the outstanding feature in London morning news.

Similarity of the fails with those of the destruction of the B-38 at Hull last summer is widely remarked. The loss of life in the Roma is far greater than in the B-38 at Hull.

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—Gloves, Main Floor

Featuring All the New Footwear Styles for Spring

For many weeks our new footwear styles for the Spring have been arriving, and we offer for your selection the very latest models—among them the following:

Women's Black Kid Strap Pumps with turn soles and baby Louis heels. Price, per pair \$6.95
Women's Brown Kid Strap Pumps with turn soles and full Louis heels. Price, per pair \$6.95
Women's Strap Pumps, very prettily combined with grey suede, with turn soles. Price, per pair, \$7.45 and \$10.00
Women's Brown Strap Pumps of Russia calf and brown suede combination. Price, per pair \$10.00
Women's Patent Sally Sandals with low heels and turn soles. Price, per pair, \$7.45 and \$9.50

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

The Latest Fashions in White Dimity

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\$2.95, \$3.50, \$3.95 and \$4.50

We have just received a shipment of white dimity blouses in very fashionable styles. All are of the best grade material and well finished.

There are tailored styles, with convertible collars and pleats, Peter Pan collars, long roll collars with one-button front, and tuxedo collars with pleated frills. The blouses are patterned in stripes of cross-bar. All big values at the above prices.

—Blouses, First Floor

Mirzapore Rugs at February Sale Prices

Mirzapore rugs in choice Indian designs and fine coloring; in sizes suitable for hall, hearth or den. An exceptional value at

Size 3 x 6 feet for \$14.75
Size 4 x 7 feet for \$22.50

—Carpets, Second Floor—Phone 1246



Millinery Modes for Spring

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Every woman who visits our Millinery Department on Thursday, Friday and Saturday will have the pleasure of looking upon a very complete exhibit of the new styles and colorings that will predominate during the Spring and Summer.

Our millinery buyers have spared neither trouble nor expense in bringing from both home and foreign fashion centres the styles that have found favor with those whose judgment is never at fault; and to-morrow, Friday and Saturday you are cordially invited to come and inspect this first great millinery display of the season.

Of the shades, red is the most favored for Spring, and is featured prominently in celophane straw, while for Summer the favorite shades are periwinkle or orchid, with grey and pheasant combinations; fruit and flowers are also greatly favored, and are shown in our display in abundance.

Of materials, Visca braids and haircloth are popular, and are largely employed in new turbans and soft, draped crowns.

Be one of the many who will inspect this early millinery display on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

—Millinery, First Floor

An Early Showing of Women's and Misses' Three-Piece

Navy Serge and Tricotine Suits

Three-piece suits are the very latest productions for street wear, and are meeting with great approval in the larger centres, therefore they are certain to be very much in demand this Spring and Summer.

The suits are made of serge or tricotine, and consist of loose box or belted style coats, with jumper dress of the same material. They are attractively trimmed, and modestly priced at

\$37.95 to \$67.50

Call and see them in the Mantle Department.

—First Floor—Phone 1010



Women's "Velva" Knit Cotton

Underwear at Low Prices

Women's Velva Cotton Vests of excellent weight; short, long and no sleeves, button fronts and slip-over style; all sizes; very suitable for wearing between seasons. On sale at, each 75¢

Women's Bloomers to match; elastic at waist and knee; sizes 36 to 40; excellent wearing qualities. On sale at, pair, 75¢ Out sizes at, a pair \$1.00
—Knitwear, First Floor—Phone 6896

New Silks for Spring

36-Inch Satin Canton at \$4.95

A brilliant sheen satin with Canton back; a novelty material that makes up smartly, and is shown in shades of henna, fuschia, nickel, black and poppy.

40-Inch Silk Canton Crepe at \$5.75 a Yard

A heavy texture Canton, and one of the most fashionable materials this season; is shown in shades of navy, black, nigger and capri.

36-Inch Silk Tricolette at \$2.98 a Yard

A heavy weight tricolette, in a close, even weave, and in shades of canna, black, navy, white, biscuit, Copenhagen and marigold.

40-Inch Black Charmeuse at \$4.50 a Yard

A black charmeuse of most desirable quality and in an excellent dye; it is of bright finish and great value at \$4.50 a yard.

—Silks, Main Floor

Men's Gloves for Dress Wear or Work at Lowest Prices

Men's Fine Kid Gloves, suitable for driving or street wear; excellent grade and value. At, a pair \$1.50

Brown Silk Lined Gloves, specially priced at \$2.25

Heavy Horsehide Palm Work Gloves, fleece lined; regular \$2.25 value. On sale at \$1.75

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2320

Women's and Children's Hosiery at Very Low Prices

Women's Silk Hose, in shades of black, grey and navy; slightly imperfect. On sale, pair, 39¢

Women's Heavy Cashmere Finish Hose in black and brown. On sale at, a pair 39¢

Boys' Heavy Worsted Hose in black only. On sale at, a pair 35¢

Or 3 pairs for \$1.00

Girls' Fine Ribbed Cotton Hose at, a pair 35¢

Or 3 pairs for \$1.00

Children's All-Wool Three-Quarter Socks with double tops, in shades of black, brown and cream; regular \$1.00. On sale at, pair, 50¢

Misses' Fine 1-1 Ribbed All-Wool Hose in shades of black, cream, tan and brown; regular \$1.00 to \$1.50. On sale at, a pair, 65¢

to \$1.00

Boys' 3-1 Ribbed Golf Hose with fancy cuff top; in shades of brown, Lovat, grey and green; regular \$1.25. On sale at, per pair 75¢

Children's Fine Wool Hose with silk heels and toes; shown in shades of brown, pink, sky, green and black; regular 75¢ to \$1.00. On sale at, a pair, 45¢ to 65¢

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Crepe Paper for the Children's Fancy Dress Ball

Lustre Crepe Paper in a great variety of pretty colors, for making flower dresses or fancy dresses of all kinds. On sale at, per fold 25¢

Imperial Crepe Paper in rolls; all shades in stock. On sale at, a roll 15¢

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor—Phone 6525

Felt, Art Serge and Green Baize at February Sale Prices

Art Serge, 50 inches wide, all wool; in shades of green, blue or red; regular \$2.95. February Sale price a yard \$1.95

Art Serge, 72 inches wide; in shades of blue or red; regular \$4.75. February Sale price, per yard \$3.75

Green Baize, 36 inches wide; formerly \$2.25. February Sale price, a yard \$1.50

All-Wool Imported Felt, 72 inches wide; in colors of green, purple and gold. February Sale price, a yard \$1.95

Felt, 72 inches wide; in colors of green, blue or maroon; regular \$1.95. February Sale price, per yard \$1.50

Green Baize, 54 inches wide. February Sale price, a yard \$2.50

—Drapery, Second Floor—Phone 1246

Bargains in the Stove Department

4 Lengths of 6-inch Stovepipe for 98¢

3 Lengths of 6-inch Stovepipe and 1 6-inch Elbow for \$1.00

Just Arrived—Fire Baskets, regular up to \$11.00. Special at, each \$5.00

English Primus Type Stoves silent burners; regular \$9.50. On sale at, each \$6.50

—Stoves, Lower Main Floor—Phone 6525

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IXL Tomato Sauce, Spanish style; 2 tins for 25¢
 Empress Pure Jelly Powders, all flavors; 3 packets for 25¢
 Teco Self-Raising Pancake Flour, regular 15c packets; 3 for 25¢
 Purple Wheatlets, 5-lb. sacks; regular 40c value for 30¢

New Zealand Butter, per lb. 36¢
 3 lbs. for \$1.05
 Swift's Pure Lard, per lb. 19¢
 Or 3 lbs. for 54¢

Swift's Empire Bacon, sliced; per lb. 32¢
 Burns' Smoked Hams, medium size. Per lb. 35¢
 Fresh Made Creamery Butter, made in Victoria; lb. 38¢
 Bran, 100-lb. sack \$1.70
 Shorts, 100-lb. sack \$1.80

Golden Loaf Bread Flour, 49-lb. sacks \$1.85
 Chick Starter for the little chicks; 5 lbs. for 25¢

Fresh Cooked Tripe, per lb. 15¢
 Boiling Pork, fresh or salt; per lb. 27¢
 Shoulder Mutton Chops, lb. 28¢

SPECIAL
 1 lb. Beef Liver and Half-lb. Sliced Bacon, regular 35¢; for 25¢

JUST RECEIVED—Another Shipment of Australian Jams—Black currant, apricot and blackberry; 2-lb. tins, each 35¢
 Or 3 for \$1.00

New Zealand Honey, quart sealers. Each 68¢
 Californian White Clover Honey in bulk; 2 lbs. for 45¢

Reception Brand White Clover Honey, 12-oz. jars, each 25¢
 16-oz. jars, each 35¢

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ROYAL PARTIES FOR
PRINCESS AND FIANCÉ

London, Feb. 22.—Several members of the American Embassy attended the first of a series of parties given by King George and Queen Mary yesterday afternoon in honor of the approaching wedding of Princess Mary to Viscount Lascelles. The King and Queen, Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles mingled with the guests.

King George's principal wedding gift to Princess Mary is a handsome piece of jewelry, which he has already given to her, says the Daily Mail. She will receive another present from her father before her marriage to Viscount Lascelles.

Mrs. C. C. Bennett of Beach Drive was a bridge hostess on Monday afternoon. Among those present were Mr. W. H. Nichols, Mrs. Betts of Calgary, Mrs. Archer Martin, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Watson of Calgary; Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Beaven, Mrs. Hartley, Mrs. Martin, of Winnipeg and Mrs. Corning.

A NOISE IN THE LIBRARY

Mrs. Fidget—What's the noise I hear down in the library?

Mrs. Fidget—Must be the history repeating itself. Go to sleep.



IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN

SOCIAL PERSONAL

PLEASING MUSIC FOR
NATIVE SONS' BALL

Arrangements For Thursday's Function at Empress Hotel Complete

Mr. Rankin Leslie, of Winnipeg, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. M. J. Quinn, of Toronto, has arrived at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Charles A. Gaze, of Winnipeg, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barker, of Seattle, have arrived at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Davidson, of Portland, Oregon, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Russell, of Winnipeg, have arrived at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Leather, of Duncan, is in town attending the meeting of the Local Council of Women.

Mr. S. F. McConnell is progressing favorably after an operation performed on Monday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Vancouver registrations at the Empress Hotel yesterday included Messrs. J. W. McGeer, R. H. Cliburn, Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Berry, John Scott and H. O. Leadbeater.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sutherland, Cumberland, C. A. MacNaughton, Edmonton; Mr. P. C. Listur, Vegreville, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Elliott, Saskatoon; Mr. J. B. Geravis, Kamloops, are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

The many friends of Mr. J. T. Braden, George Braden will be pleased to hear he has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to leave the hospital and is now convalescing at his home.

Vancouver registrations at the Strathcona Hotel include Mr. D. Con, Mr. A. E. Egan, Mr. Geo. N. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Olson, Mr. R. Parr, Mr. F. H. Burbridge and Mr. A. Gagner.

A very enjoyable meeting of the Dickens Club was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. Nickerson, 2284 Windsor Road. Oak Bay, the president, Mr. C. C. Pemberton, presiding. During the evening Mr. J. B. Warnicker gave a most interesting talk on the life and writings of the great author, which was very much appreciated.

Through the kindness of Miss Tully, the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital will hold a bridge and five hundred party at the Balmoral Hotel on Thursday afternoon of this week, commencing at 3 o'clock. Players are reminded to bring their own cards and money. Twenty-two tables have been taken and there are two available to players. Those making table reservations are: Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Mrs. Umbach, Mrs. J. D. MacLean, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. B. C. Richards, Mrs. R. D. McCaw, Mrs. Poynett, Mrs. A. E. Summick, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. J. Scott, Mrs. Cullin, Mrs. McRobinson, Mrs. Cullin, Mrs. McLehman, Mrs. Blaylock, Mrs. P. C. Abell, Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. R. F. Green and Miss McKenzie.

A most delightful bridge party followed by a dance was given at Alexandra Club last evening, with a large number of tables occupied in the interval of what was a popular pre-war annual event. The ballroom was prettily decorated with greenery, while daffodils and greenery were used in the supper-room. Heaton's orchestra gave an excellent programme of dance music.

Thomas H. Waterworth, of Prince Albert; W. A. Young and Mrs. Young, of Saskatoon; Mrs. Willy and J. E. Swatton, and many others, were present.

Mr. Bruce of Lethbridge, John Hockin of Lynn Creek; A. G. Summerskill, Mrs. W. S. Comer, Rev. John Knox Wright, Geo. Spreckley, W. W. Wardhaugh and A. H. White, of Vancouver; L. D. McLeod, of Courtenay and J. J. Thompson, of Klamath Falls, Oregon, are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Members of the Wanderers Rugby Football Club were hosts at a delightful dance at the Alexandra Club last evening, with a large number of tables occupied in the interval of what was a popular pre-war annual event. The ballroom was prettily decorated with greenery, while daffodils and greenery were used in the supper-room. Heaton's orchestra gave an excellent programme of dance music.

Health and educational problems were briefly touched upon. In conclusion, the speaker envisioned the day this Dominion might become the dominant element of the Empire. "Perhaps Canada may some day become the centre of the British Commonwealth, if she takes up the mantle of the Mother of Nations in her own soil, establish Dominion consciousness and unity, properly develop all our human and material resources and especially look to the mental and moral training of the rising generation, she will prove herself worthy of her task."

Teaching to Think.

Material problems, however, were secondary to the moral problems; character building is the basis of true national development.

The speaker called upon to express his views on the matter.

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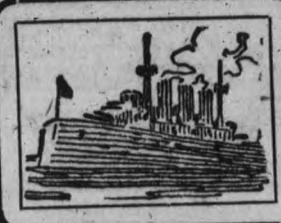
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Along the Waterfront

SHIPPING NEWS



BESSIE DOLLAR MAY BE REPAIRED ON CHINA COAST

Bids of British Columbia and Puget Sound Firms Rejected As Too High

Tenders Now Invited for Temporary Repairs to Damaged Freighter

Claiming that bids submitted for permanent repairs to the disabled freighter *Bessie Dollar* were too high, the Robert Dollar Steamship Company has called for tenders covering temporary repairs and will send the ship over to China where her damaged superstructure will be rebuilt.

Keen bidding has been seen in fitting out the first contract by Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle firms and the tenders were believed to have been cut to the bone in the efforts of the competing companies to land the contract.

Yarrows Low.

It is understood that Yarrows, Ltd., of Esquimalt, has the lowest tender, with a bid of slightly less than \$40,000. The Todd firm of Seattle was the next in line with a bid of about \$42,000. The highest bid was in the neighborhood of \$50,000, submitted by the B. C. Marine Shipbuilders and Engineers, Ltd., of Vancouver.

The bids were opened last Friday morning and Capt. R. L. Morton, then superintendent of the Robert Dollar Company, wired the tenders to the headquarters of the company at San Francisco.

The reply received by Capt. Morton indicated that the tenders were high, and the company representative was instructed to can for bids on temporary repairs.

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This means that when the temporary repairs have been completed, the *Bessie Dollar* will assume her intended voyage to the Orient, and will probably be permanently repaired at Hongkong, where the company considers the work can be done more cheaply.

To Suit Underwriters.

The temporary repairs will have to be made to suit the classification and the satisfaction of the underwriters. They will comprise the erection of a temporary bridge and chart room to take the place of the wrecked superstructure. The ship's hull is intact. The temporary repairs, it is estimated, will cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Seattle, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Victoria, Tacoma; Eldridge, Shanghai; Coxey, Kobe; Narenta, Tyne; Nome, San Francisco; Rainier, San Francisco; Arctic, San Francisco; Thomas, Sailed: Tacoma; Nome City, Tacoma; Mongolian Prince, Manila; Everett, San Pedro; Blue Triangle, Boston.

Tacoma, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Pacifico, Valparaiso; Nome City, San Francisco. Sailed: Arctic, Corvallis, via Seattle; Amur, Vancouver, British Columbia; San Francisco; motorship Sierra, San Francisco.

San Diego, Feb. 21.—Arrived: Fleet tug Algoma, Balboa; Grime, Ensenada.

KINGSLEY HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

With 150 tons of freight from California the coast freighter E. D. Kingsley, of the Kingsley Navigation Company, arrived at port at 1:30 o'clock this morning from San Francisco. After discharging about 100 tons of general freight at the Grand Trunk Pacific wharf, the vessel steamed to the wharf of the Sidney Rubber Roofing Company, where she discharged 50 tons of asphalt. The Kingsley left about 10 o'clock for Vancouver.

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FIREMAN KILLED ON PRINCESS ENA

Vancouver, Feb. 22.—F. W. Grosse, a fireman, employed on the Canadian Pacific Coast steamer *Princess Ena*, is reported to have been killed in a fall during the steamer's run north. No details are available. The body is being brought here on the steamer *Venture*, due to arrive to-morrow. The dead man's home is in this city.

BEATRICE TO RESUME SERVICE TO NORTH

C.P.R. Boat Being Overhauled Preparatory to Sailing For Rupert

The Canadian Pacific Railway steamship *Beatrice* is being overhauled at Yarrows, Ltd., and immediately the work has been completed the vessel will resume her sailings in the Northern British Columbia coastwise service.

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NEW DUTCH MOTOR LINER COMING HERE

M.S. Dinteldyk, Newest of Fleet, Scheduled to Arrive From Europe in May

Dinteldyk, newest and largest motorship flying the Dutch flag, is expected to arrive at this port in May from Europe, it was stated to-day at the offices of Findlay, Durham & Brodie, local agents for the joint service of the Royal Mail and Holland-American lines.

The *Dinteldyk* has just been completed in the Netherlands for the Holland-American Lines and will shortly set out from Rotterdam via British ports on her maiden voyage to the North Pacific coast.

The ship's maiden voyage to the

Holland-American Lines are now operating a regular service to Victoria on the established route between Europe and British Columbia.

The next ship of this service to arrive here will be the *Noorderdijk*, which is scheduled to arrive here March 4 to discharge and load freight.

Dinteldyk in April.

The splendid new Royal Mail motorship *Princess Ena*, which is now making her maiden trip to this coast, is due here about March 15. The *Loch Katrine* will be followed by the Holland-American freighter *Eemdyk* towards the latter part of April.

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"Is he clever?"
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NEWS IN BRIEF

Esquimalt Baby Clinic.—A baby clinic will be held in Lampson Street School on Saturday, February 25, from 10 to 12, when examinations will be free.

Postponed.—The military 500 which was to have been held this evening under the auspices of Queen Alexandra Review No. 11 has been unavailably postponed for one week.

Buy City Bonds.—The Royal Securities Corporation has purchased \$101,000 Johnson Street bonds at 99.367 and accrued interest, Victoria delivery. This bid is considered most satisfactory by the civic authorities.

To Hold Dance.—The Hudson's Bay Company employees will hold an enjoyable dance on Thursday night. A splendid programme of dance music has been arranged, and the affair will be a success.

Court of Revision.—The City Court of Revision held a short session yesterday afternoon and will meet again to-day to consider applications for assessment reductions. City Assessor William Scowcroft thought this morning that the Court would be able to finish its work by to-night.

Illustrated Lecture.—The Ladies' Aid of the George Street Methodist Church will hold a concert and light lecture on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be vocal and instrumental music. J. Bryant will give the lecture from Victoria to London, Eng.

To Speak on Russia.—George Harry, who has just returned from Russia will speak on "Why American Workers Should Aid Russia." The address will commence at 8 p.m. to-night in the Trades Hall, Broad Street, and a collection will be taken in aid of the Russian Famine Relief.

Motor Act Infractions.—In the city police court this morning T. Cook was assessed \$10 for exceeding 15 miles per hour when driving up Fort Street Hill. He pleaded that acceleration under the circumstances is necessary and usual. F. P. Walker paid \$5 for having no tail light on his car.

Could Not Prove Ownership.—Kwong Kai Hing, charged in the city police court with having retained and with owning opium found in a dog kennel in a courtyard at the rear of 548½ Cormorant Street was freed of complicity when the Royal Canadian Mounted Police were unable to prove connection between the accused and the drug. Efforts to prove the accused to have sole access to the courtyard were unsuccessful.

To Inspect Parks.—Mayor Macmillan and Alderman John Harvey will make an extensive inspection of Victoria beaches and parks during the next few days, it was announced at the City Hall to-day. The Mayor and his colleagues are anxious to see for themselves just what is needed to keep the parks and beaches up to a proper standard of beauty for the benefit of residents and tourists.

Tourist Group Luncheon.—The Tourist Group of the Chamber of Commerce will hold a luncheon at the George Street Hotel on Friday noon. The address will be given by William Fuller, field superintendent of the Shantymen's Christian Association. One hundred invited guests will turn up and down the British Columbia coast will be shown.

Masquerade Dance.—To-night at 9 in the hall, Douglas Street, Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., will give a masquerade dance to its members and wives, the members and wives of the other local lodges, and to the Daughters of Rebekahs. Owing to the limited dancing space it will be kept in the corner of the order except unmarried members of both subordinate lodges and Sisters of Rebekah will be allowed one friend.

Military 500.—Last night a very successful meeting was held in the Lake Hill School, under the auspices of the Lake Hill Women's Institute, with Mr. Sandford as master of ceremonies. Eleven tables were in progress, and the prizes were captured by Alex. McCallum, Piddie, Service and Winter. As often happens, the booby prizes were won by four of the best players. The next party will take place on Friday week.

Hockey Game.—The Merchants' Bank hockey team trained at the Arenas last night and defeated the members of the Royal Bank to the melody of 6-2. Service score'd the first goal of the evening, taking a pass from Cowley and "jetted" the puck. Radford scored the next for the Royals, making it one-all. The second period was closer than the first, and excitement grew with the progress of the game. The third period showed a decided edge for the Merchants resulted in their defeating their opponents.

Women's Canadian Club.—At a business meeting following the annual meeting at the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon, the proposed amendments to the constitutions, which were published at length in these columns following the last meeting, were passed by the meeting.

St. Jude's Mission.—The meeting of organization workers to be held in St. Jude's Mission this afternoon will in no way conflict with the meeting of mothers to be held to-morrow afternoon, when Mrs. Schofield will be the speaker.

Missionary Society.—Sixty members of the Women's Misionary Society of the Metropolitan Methodist Church held a very successful meeting on February 20. The opening devotional exercises were conducted by the President, Mrs. Kinney. After a short business session Mrs. Maynard gave a Bible reading. Solo's were given by Miss Richards, Mrs. Sippell and others, and the pageant there will be musical numbers, vocal and instrumental and a silver offering.

The Bible Society.—A very meagre audience assembled in the Cathedral Schoolroom last evening at the annual meeting of the Victoria Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society. Mrs. Maynard, Secretary for British Columbia, spoke, followed by Bishop Schofield, who showed what a bond of unity the Society was among all sorts and

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GOLF CLUB SEEKS LOWER TAXATION

Through Hudson's Bay Co., United Services Club Contests Assessment Basis

In the County Court this morning the Hudson's Bay Company appealed to Judge Lampman against the valuation of \$153,200 set in the Oak Bay assessment roll as the taxation basis of 120 acres of the Uplands Farm leased to the United Services Golf Club, and now forming the new golf links.

The new assessment now protested was decided upon by the Oak Bay Court of Revision on February 14, and takes the place of a former valuation of \$205,700, the reduction of \$52,500 being the amount which has been added to the valuation of the remaining 52 acres of the farm, this not being protested against by the interests of the Golf Club.

On behalf of Oak Bay Municipality, Alexia Martin advanced the preliminary objection that, as the assessment roll will not be formally closed until to-morrow evening, the valuation is immature. H. B. Robertson, K. C., relied upon the wording of the Municipal Act, which specifies that appeal shall be against a decision of the Court of Revision, not necessarily against any direction to the Assessor to change the assessment roll figures. He argued that on February 14 last the Court of Revision had passed a decision for her formal action, and in this view was supported by His Honor.

The hearing was then adjourned until Friday morning next, at 11 o'clock, with leave, if necessary, to protect all parties, to bring a second appeal should to-morrow's session of the Revision Court make that advisable. Both appeals will then be heard together.

LEGAL TANGLE OVER PURCHASE OF LAND

Gordon Head Strawberry Land Disputed in Courts

An exceedingly intricate tangle over a real estate transaction in which several disputants are involved is being threshed out in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Lampman. The case was adjourned yesterday and is still proceeding. In an action entitled Fish vs. Moorehouse, the plaintiff claimed a declaration of ownership of a certain interest in a piece of land in the Gordon Head district. A second action entitled Pearson vs. Moorehouse affected the same land. Now, however, Fish and Moorehouse have combined to dispute the claims of Mrs. Pearson, who claims that all the land belongs to her. The several persons claim to have interests in the land and the case involves evidence as to various money transactions and agreements.

Mr. A. Standard in 1911 sold the land to Mrs. G. Butterfield under agreement for sale. The latter then turned it over to J. J. Hartford. The latter subdivided the land and agreed to sell one parcel each to M. B. Moorehouse, Mrs. G. A. Pearson, E. F. Fisher and others. In 1915 a default in payment under the Butterfield-Stannard agreement occurred and in 1915 foreclosure proceedings were commenced, when Mrs. Stannard got the land back, except the Fish and Moorehouse who had combined to dispute the claims of Mrs. Pearson, who claims that all the land belongs to her. The several persons claim to have interests in the land and the case involves evidence as to various money transactions and agreements.

In February 1916 Mrs. Stannard sold the property to Mrs. Pearson, who apparently acted for Fish and Moorehouse, although taking the land in her own name. It is claimed that both these men paid part of the \$3,000 given on account. Another default and another foreclosure followed. In 1918 Mrs. Pearson entered the transaction as it was alleged Mrs. Stannard and Mrs. Pearson had a falling out and the former refused to deal with the latter and it is claimed Moorehouse induced Mrs. Stannard to permit the sale of five acres of the land with a house on it to H. M. Lamb for \$7,000, when a new agreement was drawn up between Moorehouse and Mrs. Stannard.

The Pearson's are now claiming the whole of the land while Moorehouse claims a half interest and is willing to allow Fish's claim if the law allows it. H. C. Lawson, counsel for Fish and H. A. MacLean, K. C., counsel for Moorehouse are opposed to H. W. R. Moore, representing the Pearson's.

MORE THAN ONE ASSAULT IS NEEDED, COUNSEL CONTENDS

"Shouldn't deserted husbands get some maintenance these days? Are we not all on an equal basis, men and women?" asked T. C. Judge Lampman, when hearing an appeal against a magistrate's order under the Deserted Wives' Maintenance Act.

The Counsel before whom the complaint had been argued ruled that one assault had been committed.

Mr. Elliott contended that the statute called for two assaults.

His Honor, however, regarded the inclusion of "cruelty" in the grounds specified to "cover almost anything under existing conditions."

The case is proceeding.

K. of P. Masquerade—Arrangements for the Knights of Pythias masquerade dance are going ahead.

It has been arranged that the Drama Club of the Victoria Emerson Theatre, El Mahaut Temple, No. 155, will parade in full costumed regalia of a magnificently eastern type, and it is arranged that the committee will not

DR. SIPPELL LECTURES

The regular meeting of the Margaret Jenkins Parent-Teachers' Association was held at the school last night, when the auditorium was well filled with audience while followed Dr. Sippell with great interest in his pictures across Canada, and through London to the devastated portions of Europe. One point strikingly brought out by Dr. Sippell's pictures was the great care given to the graves of the fallen by the British and Canadian Governments.

It was particularly gratifying to see the close attention given to the speaker by the large number of senior boys and girls present.

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Two Good Things
SOIL INSECTICIDE
for the destruction of cut worms, eel worms, maggots, weevils and all insects. 5-lb. bags for .40¢

SULPHATE OF AMMONIA
Increases your crop of vegetables 75 per cent.
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Phone 153 FORRESTER'S 1304 Douglas Street

VICTORIA TAXPAYERS

Start now and pay into the City Treasury towards your 1922 taxes.

We will credit you with interest at rate of 6% a year on any amount of \$1.00 and upwards so advanced.

Circular with full particulars given on request.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
City Treasurer and Collector.

Victoria, B. C., February 22, 1922.

**WE MAKE
BABBITT METALS
THAT GIVE
Excellent Service
THE
CANADA METAL CO.
LIMITED
1428 GRANVILLE STREET
VANCOUVER, B.C.**

WOOD

Prices, Delivered in City

Millwood, per cord \$4.25
Edgings, per cord \$3.50

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Semi-ready, Limited

MANUFACTURERS OF
SEMI-READY TAILORED CLOTHES FOR MEN
AND HIGH SCHOOL CLOTHES FOR BOYS

472 GUY STREET,
Montreal, Canada
Nov. 4th, 1921.

Canadian Newspaper Association,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sirs,

The Semi-ready Company have always believed in the advertising slogan that after you produce a good thing you should tell all the people about it. The hen is the quickest advertiser on record.

Not in thirty years have I encountered other than that which would enhance my faith in the efficacy of efficient newspaper publicity.

If some bright Editor could coin a new word which would expressly define "newspaper advertising" it might shake off the many barnacles which attach to themselves the name of "advertising." Many advertising managers would save their employers a lot of money if the counterfeits they buy were rejected.

"Advertising" means newspaper publicity. Newspapers give the only legitimate and profitable means of publicity. There may be some follow-ups that are worthy, but not one in fifty of the methods which usurp the name can qualify as worthy to be called "advertising."

Much money is wasted in advertising, but nearly every failure can be traced to lack of thought by the advertiser. Perhaps he has sought the royal road to wealth by hiring some man to do his thinking for him. We can cheer and elect even an able man to office, but when it comes to spending or saving other people's money that clever man often acts like an ordinary westrel.

It is just as easy to analyze the causes of failure by some who have tried advertising as it is to relate the reasons for success of many millions through advertising. I don't include the politicians who have grown wealthy through dead-head advertising. They have a cinch.

Yours truly,

Semi-ready, Limited,

Alfred Wood
Vice President.

AW/L.

Mr. Wood uncovers the reason for much waste in business when he says many advertising managers could save their employers a lot of money if they rejected the barnacles of publicity. The first and only great advertising medium is the Daily Newspaper.

Issued by The Canadian Daily Newspapers Association, Head Office, Toronto.

Financial News

Financial Friendship

A good standing at the Bank is a convenience in fair weather and a safe-guard in time of trouble. The Merchants Bank is ever ready to be of service to you, whether it concerns the banking requirements of your business, advice on investments or information regarding conditions and prospects in all parts of the world.

THE MERCHANTS BANK
Head Office: Montreal, OF CANADA Established 1864.

VICTORIA BRANCH
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OAK BAY BRANCH

E. W. McMULLEN, Manager
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reaches higher level. Our FAST private wire to all the principal exchanges enables our clients to receive instantaneous executions on all STOCK, GRAIN and BOND orders. This service is at your disposal.

BURDICK BROS., LIMITED

Telephone 3724 and 3725. 116-120 Pemberton Bldg., Victoria, B. C.
Private wire to New York, Chicago, Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg.
Members Chicago Board of Trade, Winnipeg Grain Exchange, B. C. Bond
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We Offer Subject

\$10,000 New Westminster 1945 6%, Payable in New York
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R. P. CLARK & COMPANY, LIMITED

VICTORIA, B. C., 639 FORT STREET. PHONES 5600-5601
Members B. C. Bond Dealers' Association, All Branches of Insurance Written.

English Electric Co., of Canada

8% Preferred Stock With 40% Bonus Common. Price 100.
Our correspondents advise us that the total issue of \$2,000,000 only \$150,000 was available on February 1st, with a steady demand. If you are contemplating an investment in this Company we advise you to immediately enter your order by wire or telephone at no expense.

Gillespie, Hart & Todd, Ltd.

Bonds Bought, Sold and Quoted. 711 Fort Street

Phone 2140

WE OWN AND OFFER

**\$101,000 City of Victoria 6%
Serial Bonds Maturing 1923 to 1932**

PRICE ON APPLICATION

Royal Securities Corporation, Ltd

Telephone 2102

313 Pemberton Building

**F. W. Stevenson
STOCKS BONDS**

MINING AND OIL
SHARES

#2 PEMBERTON BLDG.
Phone 362

WE OWN AND OFFER

\$3,000.00

OAK BAY

5% Bonds

Due Dec. 31st, 1940.

Semi-Annual Interest.

Price \$92.50.

Yielding approximately 5.70% and Premium on American Funds.

Payable London, Canada or New York.

Pemberton & Son
Established 1887
Bond Dealers
125 Fort St., Victoria, B. C.
Phone 4916.

**NEW CHURCH BOND
ISSUE IN FRANCE**

Paris, Feb. 22.—A bond issue for the reconstruction of 3,000 churches in the devastated areas of France has been authorized. It will be the same type as other issues for reconstruction projects in devastated regions and will amount to \$10,000,000 francs, bearing interest at 6 per cent., payable in 30-year denominations. The issue will be guaranteed by the Government.

ARGENTINE OFFERS CREDITS

To Nations Needing Imports

WE OWN AND OFFER SUBJECT

\$10,000.00

**Argentine Government
5% Bonds**

Due September 1, 1945—Principal and Interest Payable in U.S. Gold Coin.

Interest Payable March and September 1.

Price to Give Cash Income of 6.05 Per Cent. Plus Premium on U.S. Funds.

For Full Particulars Consult

British-American Bond Corporation, Ltd

Phones 319-2121

B. A. Bond Building, 723 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

MAN ADMITS HE KILLED A MAN

St. Louis, Feb. 22.—Because he said his conscience bothered him, Frank Nickely, twenty-five years old, confessed to police that in December, 1920, he shot and killed John Arenz, for which Theodore Sadowski, twenty-two, recently was sentenced to life imprisonment.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

URGE, experienced traveller, would like his position as travelling companion Europe preferred; no objection to children. Box 41, Times.

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 5.—Recent offers of credit by the Argentine Government to France and Belgium for the purchase of Argentine produce have been extended to all countries where Argentine has diplomatic representation.

A circular sent out by Foreign Minister Pueyrredon to the various legations says that the Argentine Government desires Argentina's representatives abroad should inform the Governments to which they are accredited that the Argentine Government is willing to grant all kinds of facilities for buying Argentine meat, cereals, wool and other national products which may be necessary for the consumption and the manufacturing industries of other countries.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Secretary

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AFTERNOON TEA, 3:15 to 5:45—Orchestra—Fourth Floor



Smart Spring Styles in Sport Coats and Capes

Our Spring lines of popular priced Coats have just arrived and are now on display. Every woman who prides herself on being smartly dressed will appreciate the smart new lines of these Coats. While they are simple in design, they undoubtedly convey the idea of individuality and charm. Materials include Tweeds, Homespuns, Polo and Chinchilla Cloths; some of the new style features being the ripple effects, fancy pockets, smart scarfs and tailored collars. Sizes 16 to 40.

Prices From \$16.50 to \$29.50

Many Versions in Spring Suit Modes

It would seem that the Goddess of Fashion had every woman in mind when she created these new suit modes, for she gave to each one a distinguishing mark in the way of trimming effects, placing of pockets and new sleeve features, all of which make for individuality and exclusiveness. Wool tricotines and fine serges of exceptionally good quality are the favorite fabrics. Styles include box, novelty and semi-tailored effects, handsomely braided and embroidered. They are lined with plain or fancy silks and skirts are neatly tailored. Choice of navy, black or sand, sizes to 42. Modestly priced at...

\$49.50 to \$75.00

New Spring Arrivals in the Corset Dept.

The Circlet Brassiere

Adjusts quickly, equalizes the bust and shoulder flesh, launders easily, no hooks or eyes, simply slips over the head and fastens at the waist; front and back fastening; sizes 32 to 50. Priced from

\$1.50 to \$2.75

Juspul Brassieres

The lacing device under the arm assures a perfect fit each time; sizes 34 to 52. Priced at

\$2.25

—Second Floor

Boys' Blue Serge English Reefers

Pure wool, fast Indigo dye, double breasted with fancy brass buttons, lined throughout with good quality lining. A very serviceable and dressy coat. Sizes 2 and 3 years, each **\$8.50**. Sizes 4, 5 and 6 years, each **\$9.50**. Sizes 8, 9 and 10 years, each **\$10.75**. —Main Floor

Boys' Pyjamas at \$2.25 a Suit

A new shipment of English-made pyjamas, made in a splendid quality of flannelette in stripes of blue, mauve, fawn and white; well made and a pyjama that will give you the best of wear. Thursday's Selling, **\$2.25** per pair. —Main Floor

Irish Linen Mesh Underwear for Men

"Meshlin Brand"—just received a shipment of this fine underwear for men; made in an extra good quality of "Pure Irish Linen Mesh"; good fitting and well made in every way; cut in short sleeves and ankle length. Price, per garment **\$3.75**. Combinations with short sleeves and knee length. **\$5.75**. Price, per suit **\$5.75**. —Main Floor

Men's Pyjamas at \$4.00 a Suit

Men's "Lamba" Brand English-made pyjamas in a very fine quality of flannelette in neat stripes of mauve, blue, green and black; cut good and roomy, with the popular polo collar. Thursday's Selling, per suit **\$4.00**

Men's Neckties at \$2.00 Each

Atkinson's Irish Poplin Ties in all shades and patterns of grey, brown, green, blue and black; cut in the wide flowing end style; a neck tie that we can recommend. Thursday's Selling, each **\$2.00**

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs at 35c Each

Made from pure Irish linen of extra good quality, with medium hemstitched border. Thursday's Selling, each **35c**. —Main Floor

Untrimmed Straw Shapes in the Newest Spring Styles

In a splendid variety of large, medium and small shapes; all the latest models for Spring. Prices, **\$3.25 to \$10.00**

Flower and Fruit Trimmings

In wreaths or separate clusters, beautiful colorings and a big assortment to choose from. Prices from

50c

—Second Floor

Spring Showing of French Beaded Bags

French Bead Bags with tortoise shell tops, mirror enclosed, in most exquisite colorings:

Small size, Thursday's selling, each, **\$8.50**. Large size, Thursday's selling, each, **\$10.50**. —Main Floor

Attractive Prices on Club Bags, Suit Cases, Wardrobe, Steamer and Dress Trunks

All-Leather Club Bags
In brown and black; size 16 inches. **\$5.00**

Thursday's Selling, each

Better Grade Club Bags
A fine selection of better grade club bags; leather faced. Priced from

\$10.00 to \$30.00

Leather Covered Suit Cases
In a good finish; 24 and 26-inch sizes **\$10.00 and \$12.00**

Heavy Sheepskin and Solid Cowhide Suit Cases
Strapped or unstrapped. Priced from

\$13.50 to \$60.00

Four Only, Dress Trunks
Canvas covered, slatted and strapped; heavy fastening, fitted with two trays. Thursday's Selling, each **\$11.50**



Our lines in Wardrobe Trunks are well worth inspection, being fitted with all the latest devices. The McBride, Meyering and Eveeight models at special prices. —Lower Main Floor

Grocery Specials for Thursday

Hamaterley Farm Blend of Ceylon and Indian Teas, as served in the Malahat Tea Gardens, 1-lb. pkg. **60c**
Salt Spring Brand Pure Raspberry Jam, fine quality, 4-lb. tin **90c**
Libby's Stuffed Pimento Olives, 15-oz. bot. **55c**
Malkin's or Empress Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin **75c**

—Lower Main Floor

Phone 1870—Private Exchange Connecting All Departments

50c LUNCHEON, 11:30 to 2:30—Orchestra—Fourth Floor

Notion Department Specials for Thursday

Dome Fasteners; black or white; best Auto spring; assorted sizes; per dozen **5c**

Shell Hair Pins; good quality shell Hair Pins in dark shades, on cards; per card **10c**

Waist and Hose Supporters; the Acme waist and hose supporters; sizes 6 to 12 years; per pair, **50c**

Dome Fasteners on Taps; black or white; all ready to be sewn on to skirts or waist; per yard, **45c**

Kleinert's Pad Supporters; Kleinert's sure-on clasp; with strong elastic web; black, white or sky; per pair **50c**

Board Shaped Belting; in black or white; Warren's special make for skirts; 1 1/2 inches wide, per yard **35c**

2 and 2 1/2 inches wide, yard, **40c**

3 inches wide, per yard **50c**

7-Inch Steel Scissors; all-steel scissors, 7 inches long; made in Sheffield, Eng.; 1 1/2 inches long; suitable for dressmakers or for the home; per pair **1.25**

Mending Wool in Skeins; English imported mending wool; in colors of tan, grey, nigged, navy, Lovat, red, white and heather; 6 skeins for **25c**

Lace Pins; imported from England; assorted colors; 8 pins on a card; per card **5c**

—Main Floor

Three Useful Sizes in Unbleached Damask Table Cloths

For kitchen use these Irish Unbleached Damask Cloths are ideal. They will give you the maximum of wear and are wonderfully good value at these prices. Hemmed all ready for use.

Size 57 x 57, price	\$2.50
Size 63 x 63, price	\$3.00
Size 68 x 68, price	\$3.75

—Main Floor

58-In. Polo Cloth, \$3.75 Yard

Polo Cloth is one of our newest fabrics for Spring sport coats; a cloth of nice velour finish, good medium weight; will tailor and drape well; come in shades of fawn, deep rose, French blue and mustard; 58 inches wide. Thursday's Selling, **\$3.75**

—Main Floor

JUST UNPACKED!

The Smartest of Smart Frocks for Children

Embracing All the Very Latest Models From the Most Exclusive Houses

Serge and Flannel Dresses

Pretty model fashioned in fine serge, with pleated skirt, plain bodice with deep band of cerise crepe de chine embroidered in blue at waistline, narrow girdle with tailored bow at left side, wide sleeves, finished with deep band of crepe de chine. Priced at **\$19.75**

One-piece model in fine serge with inverted pleats at side, Peter Pan collar of tan crepe de chine with vestee of same black leatherette bow, embroidery at waistline in tan; a tan leather belt completes this up-to-the-minute frock. Price **\$11.95**

A smart gabardine serge in one-piece style with panel in front of henna jersey cloth, collar of same; tied with black leatherette bow; smart touches of henna embroidery; narrow girdle with bow makes a smart finish to this very effective model. Price **\$16.75**

The New Guimpe Dress
In navy, paddy green and French blue, bound with white and black braid; leather belt. Price **\$6.95**

For the Tiny Tot
An exclusive model in cream-colored taffeta, deep yoke and short sleeves, two pockets; trimmed with frills of taffeta with pretty pique edge of saxe blue; bloomers to match completes this outfit. Price **\$11.50**

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The Times Latest Sporting News

IT ALL DEPENDS ON VANCOUVER.

There is plenty of interest locally over the game in Seattle to-night. Everyone is pulling for Vancouver to down the Mets.



ANOTHER GOOD ATTRACTION.

The announcement that the Monarchs, Vancouver's star amateur ice hockey team, is to play the Senators here Monday is good news for the fans.



Golf! — Balls, Bags and Clubs on Sale at Special Reductions

If you have made up your mind to play golf this Spring and Summer—buy your equipment now at these money-saving prices.

GOLF CLUBS.
Reg. \$3.25 and \$3.75. Sale price \$1.95
Reg. \$6.25. Sale price \$3.75
Reg. \$8.00. Sale price \$4.85
Reg. \$7.00. Sale price \$3.95
Reg. \$10.25. Sale price \$6.85

Two Play-Offs Will Close Rugby Season

J. B. A. A. Will Journey to Vancouver to Meet Centrals, While Mainland Intermediates Will Play Here—Best Season in History of Rugby Since Pre-war Days

NEWSIES MUST WIN TO STAY IN RACE

Disputed Game With Weiler's Being Replayed in Commercial League To-night

Win For Newsies Will Cause Tie With Bays; Loss Gives Bays Championship

The final standing of the Senior Rugby League as announced by Secretary Cameron is as follows:

	P	W	L	D	Pts.
J. B. A. A.	8	5	2	1	11
Naval College	9	4	3	2	10
Wanderers	9	4	4	1	9
Old Boys	8	2	6	0	4

One game remained unplayed in the Senior League. The Bays were scheduled to meet the Old Boys on Saturday but owing to the fact that the two teams had been standing it was cancelled. A draw would not set the Bays now and they have a full point over the Naval College.

For Saturday the Rugby Union is arranged with a third game, which should provide splendid practice for two teams which are to engage in important matches the following week.

The champion Bays are to play the second "rep" team, which will be the Victoria Intermediates on the same day. This team include only players who did not figure in any of the McKechnie Cup games. The kick-off will be at 3 o'clock and J. C. Acland will referee.

Will Oppose Centrals.

The Bays will journey to Vancouver on Saturday, March 4, to play for the Rounstell Cup, which designates the club champion of the year. The Cup was swept through the Vancouver Senior League and will be the opponents of the Bays.

While the Bays are endeavoring to win the Rounstell Cup the Victoria second "rep" team will meet the Vancouver Intermediates at Oak Bay Park. This game is attracting much interest and will undoubtedly serve as a big drawing card.

End of Season—A Discovery.

With these games, the Rugby season will draw to a close. It has been a good year, the sport having been throughout the Province since pre-war days. Victoria has been especially favored in the discovery this year of a fourth team, which has proved the sensation of the Senior League. The Boys' Naval College came in to balance up averages and inexperience of the players it was not expected that they would be a serious obstacle for the other teams.

In the first few games the Naval College did a brilliant dash and showed which was the old-timer, the newer and more experienced opponents to marvel. After losing two games and drawing three others the cadets started a drive and won four straight games in a row, defeating the Bays and the Wanderers twice and the Old Boys twice. The cadets under their careful coaching, developed into one of the best fifteen in the City and if the season had not terminated so quickly it is possible that the youngsters might have captured the cup.

The All-Star game will be an exciting one as the pick of both the Commercial and Garage League will be matched against each other and the city game should be the result.

The Victoria fans will all be pulling for Vancouver to beat the Mets.

Commercial—Goal. Pollock; defense, Patrie and Lumsden; forwards, McGibbon, Mann and Ferguson; Goal—Reid and Wright.

Garage—Goal. Neveaux; defense, E. Batterson and C. Vey; forwards, F. Ackroyd, Vic Simpson and W. Hever; substitutes, T. Revercomb, B. Price and R. Ranger.

AMERICAN ATHLETES HOLD MOST RECORDS

Great Britain Comes Second in Track and Field Events, and Finland Third

New York, Feb. 22.—Athletes of the United States lead the world as holders of track and field records. An analysis of the latest list of world's records, accepted by the International Amateur Athletic Federation shows that out of some ninety odd standard events the best time or distance has been made by American athletes in thirty-seven contests. This number, a trifle more than one-third of the entire list of accepted records is also greater than the combined total of any other two nations.

Great Britain Second.

America's nearest competitor for the honor of leading the world in the field of track and field is Great Britain, whose athletes have marked up the best time or distance in twenty-eight events. Denmark and Finland are tied for third place with seven records each.

Careful Hockey.

Muldoon knows the handicaps his men are facing, and has planned the attack accordingly. The Mets, in England, where little of the trouble has ever developed that had become all too notable in Canada in recent years as the results of attempts to camouflage the receipt of money by athletes who posed as amateurs because of the deprivations the professional endures.

With regard to allowing and forbidding the playing together of amateurs and professionals in any athletic contest, he quite failed to see what harm could result from such a practice. He, too, was not taking any foolish chances, but ever alert to grab the aggressive when the opportunity presents itself. The Mets have often made the mistake of setting too fast a pace in the opening periods. While the boys will not pass up any chance to harm a few in the first part of the game, they plan to save something in reserve to-night for the last twenty minutes.

Neither manager has announced any changes in the lineups. Seattle will present its usual defence, with

Vancouver Must Win To Give Aries One More Chance in Race

Seattle Facing Millionaires To-night In Game Which May Snuff Out Victoria In Its Effort to Get Into Play-off; Fans Here Are All Hoping That Vancouver Will Come Through; Win On Friday Would Then Bring Aries Into Tie With Mets.

Whatever would we have done these last ten days to hold Victoria up for a place in the play-off without the little word "if," which has assumed the significance of a barrel of gold.

The fans have been so anxious to see the Aries battling for the right to represent the Coast against the Prairie and Eastern champions that they have been alluding to Mr. If as though he were a blood cousin.

You'll hear it wherever you go. "If such and such happens to-night our chances will be mighty bright, but if such and such happens we'll be outta luck."

Well, once again we've got to bring Mr. If into the play. To-night Vancouver and Seattle are playing on the ice and on this battle hinges one of Victoria's last chances.

May Kill Mr. If.

If Seattle wins to-night there won't be any use trying to work little Mr. If any more, as the Mets will have copped the second position in the play-off. But "if" the Millionaires win then we'll be forced to introduce little Mr. If again next Friday night because "if" Victoria beats the Aries in the concluding game of the season, there will be a tie for second place and the Mets will probably play most of the game.

FORMER ARISTOCRAT ON VISIT TO CITY



DUBBIE KER

who formerly played with the Victoria Kitchener Kings and one of the best left wing men in the business. Dubbie retired two years ago and is now traveling for a Toronto firm. During the few days that he has to spend in Victoria, Dubbie is renewing his circle of acquaintances which is very large.

FAVORS MINGLING OF AMATEURS AND PROS.

William Foran, Trustee of the Stanley Cup, Now Visiting Coast, Favors a Change

Vancouver, Feb. 22.—The Mets and Millionaires, old rivals on the ice meet in the season's hockey climax to-night. Handicapped by the loss of one of their most brilliant performers, the Seattle men play the league leaders in a game which may decide the Mets' fate in the 1922 race.

Many times in the past have these two teams teed off in important contests, and to-night's affair promises to be as interesting as the other title affairs which are to nose out the locals, and if the Cookies can do their Canadian brethren a good turn by sinking the Mets to-night, they will not pass up the chance. Muldoon's men need this game badly, and from Capt. Holmes to waterboy, they are out to grab off the victory at any cost.

No Light Task.

Seattle's task is anything but light this evening. In the first place, the Mets have but one really major handicap, Vancouver has three able-bodied men ready to jump into the fight. As in many other games this season, it is up to the reserve strength of the Mets. Young Fraser and Archie Briden have acquitted themselves well on former occasions, and their friends are confidently expecting that they will not be found wanting this evening.

Mets must halt the scoring jamboree of Jack Adams if they hope to win. Adams has been the terror of the gaulles this year, and he will bear watching to-night. Monday the fast-skating forward played the game into the Mets' nets, and therefor sawed up the scoring honors for the year. Mickey Mackay and Bernie Morris, rival forwards in to-night's game, are vieing for second place, and both of these sharpshooters will try to get a couple to add to their string.

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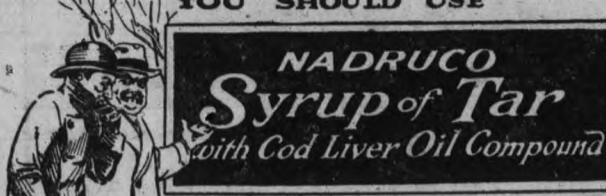
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Vancouver Island News

METCHOSIN LIBERALS CHOOSE OFFICERS

H. C. Helgesen Is Again Selected President

(By Times Correspondent)

Metchosin, Feb. 21.—The annual meeting of the Metchosin and District Branch of the Esquimalt and Alberni Association was held at Metchosin Hall on Monday. A considerable amount of business was discussed and officers elected for the ensuing year are: H. C. Helgesen, president; A. Wale, vice-president; H. R. Brown, hon. secretary-treasurer; executive committee, T. F. Helgesen and W. W. Witty; Happy Valley, H. R. Brown and C. E. Field; Luxton, A. Rhodes and Mr. Pearson; Langford, G. D. Sloan and Mr. Thomas Rocky Point, G. Ball and Herbert Parker; Albert Head, W. L. Griffiths; Colwood, W. W. Witty.

The chairman laid particular stress upon the importance of sending delegations to the "Better Roads" delegation, which will wait upon the Government in the near future, pointing out the fact that this organization had presented a resolution to the then Hon. Minister of Public Works along much the same lines as the one proposed by the Metchosin Farmers' Institute, some twelve months ago, which was endorsed by the Sooke Liberal Association. Delegates appointed are H. C. Helgesen and G. Ball.

Metchosin, Feb. 21.—A committee meeting of the Esquimalt Rural Branch of the Victorian Order Nurses in Canada was held in the Institute Room at Colwood Hall on Monday. Chairman G. D. Sloan called the meeting to order and the secretary called the roll.

R. L. Van der Byl, Mrs. H. R. Brown, Capt. and Mrs. T. Barclay, Metchosin; Mrs. Winter, Happy Valley; Mrs. M. M. M. and Mr. Burton, Luxton; Mrs. H. Parker, Mr. W. Bickford, Rev. and Mrs. H. Pearson, Colwood; Dr. and Mrs. Donald, J. Stuart Yates, Mr. Hincks, G. D. Sloan, Langford; Mrs. D. MacKenzie, East Sooke; A. Hankin, Chairman, Happy Valley School Board.

Dr. Donald, Medical Health Officer for Langford District, spoke of the need for a V.O.N. in the district concerned and also drew attention to the fact that the visiting nurse association of the Government in the capacity of School Nurse. Mrs. Donald suggested that the two branches be separated and that her services as a V.O.N. be paid for by private contributions and subscriptions and that the Government be asked to pay her salary as School Nurse.

Mr. Sloan informed the members that half the nurse's salary was already paid by the Government and the districts embedded in the association will meet the necessary money to pay the other half and to buy drugs, etc., and keep up the running expenses of the car, which are owing to bad roads and, of necessity, very scattered.

Campaign of Education.

With regard to the raising of the necessary funds for carrying on the work and keeping the association in existence, a resolution was moved by J. Stuart Yates and seconded by R. L. Van der Byl, "That a campaign be started forthwith for the purpose of educating the ratepayers in the various school districts, as to the importance of having a nurse sufficient to pay for a school nurse selected by a tax imposed by the Government and that a vote on the subject be taken on the same day as the election for School Trustees."

The resolution was carried unanimously.

Mrs. Donald and Sloan and the Secretary of the Association were appointed a committee to collect data on the subject and to arrange for speakers and to conduct the campaign meetings.

It was pointed out that funds were necessary to meet immediate expenses and to carry on the work for the next few months and a committee was thereupon elected comprising one member from each district, with power to add to their numbers and to invite whomsoever they chose to work with them in their own particular district. The committee to be

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given him, and much regretted the loss the association had sustained through the secretary, John Hughes, leaving the district.

The election of officers took place with the following result: Capt. John A. I. French, president; John A. Murray, J. P., vice-president; W. Miller Higgs, secretary-treasurer, with the following members of the executive board: J. J. Hawkins, Curtis T. Muir, Tristram McAllister, George McIntosh (Sooke), Messrs. T. C. Oldfield and Alex. Gillespie (East Sooke).

Upon motion of Capt. John A. I. French, seconded by Charles Morris, the following resolution was unanimously carried:

"That the thanks of this Association are due to the President, W. Miller Higgs, and other members of the executive committee for the able and effective manner in which they conducted the affairs of the Association at the late Provincial and Dominion Elections."

On the conclusion of the meeting Capt. John A. I. French called a short meeting of the executive committee.

PANTOMIME AND PLAYLET GIVEN

Funds Raised For Duncan Lawn Tennis Club

(By Times Correspondent)

Duncan—The Duncan Opera House was well filled with an interested audience for the two "hits" of the season. "Stolen Kisses" or "Had" was a domestic drama of one act in which the part of General Maxwell was taken by J. C. E. Hensel. It was also presented that day. Mr. Maxwell was gracefully portrayed by Mrs. H. C. Martin. Miss Noreen Simly was an attractive maid. Detective impersonated by L. A. S. Cole, and the butler by E. F. L. Henslowe, completed the cast. The play was amusing, and the only fault found was that it was so short.

This was followed by a most original pantomime, produced by Miss Bobbie Stephens, with H. J. Ruscombe-Poole as narrator. His announcement was that it was a hunting and shooting drama of the deer of the forest in black and white. The part of the maiden was charmingly taken by Miss Rachel Wilson, who arrived on the scene on the back of a camel, most originally and naturally represented by L. A. S. Cole. The lover, L. W. Huntington, helped her to dismount. The vampire, Mrs. Cowley, with her vampish dancing, lured them away. After she gave the lover a drink that rendered him unconscious, the villain, E. F. L. Henslowe, carried off the maiden. The animal served the maiden several times, even after the lover had seemingly killed him to get water for the maiden, who was dying of thirst. The vampire was able to wile away the affections of the camel and led him about the desert, while the lover and the maiden went to the priest's house to the music of the wedding march.

Mrs. Martin's orchestra accompanied and also played for the dance that followed. Mr. Poole's narrative, enlivened by little asides of his own, was most effective.

After the performance three cheers were given for Miss Stephens, who had produced this original, clever and delightful entertainment from nothing but a short magazine description.

The proceeds go to the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club, which, like the golf and cricket clubs, is buying its own grounds.

Wild Flowers.

The first wild lilies have been found at "The Cliffs" Duncan. Chemainus beat Duncan in having the erythronium out a week earlier. There has been for years a rivalry between the bank jutting out into the sea at Chemainus, Green Point, Cowichan Bay and "The Cliffs" Duncan, as to which place will produce the earliest blossoms.

W. Waldon, F. J. Bishop and Capt. S. Mathews have gone to Chilliwack to attend the stock breeders' meeting. Miss McLagan, who visited Victoria for some days, has returned to Duncan.

Cobble Hill Social.

(By Times Correspondent)

Cobble Hill, Feb. 20.—A congenital social was given by the Ladies' Aid in the bench schoolroom on Friday evening, under the leadership of Mrs. Lourie. There were nearly a hundred people present.

The programme was commenced by Mrs. Sime with a pantomime solo, "The Old Folks at Home."

This was followed by a recitation given in a realistic manner by Miss P. Maule, who shows great promise of becoming a first-class reciter. The Owens Quartette, with the well-known songs, "Row, Row, the Boat," "Chain to Mend," etc., sang much laughter with the recital of "O. M. Malligan's Pig." Other recitations were given by Mrs. Clements, Miss M. Bartlett, Mr. Owens giving a splendid rendering of "Jim, My Master," and the recitation of "The Song of the Ditz," was admirable. The duet "Excelsior" was given by Mr. Clements and Mr. P. P. Field. The glee, "O, Who Will o'er the Downs so Free," and "Sweet Land of Song" by the choir gave great pleasure.

The weather during the past two weeks has been cold with considerable snow, but a warm spell has at last arrived and the snow is fast going.

Sayward Notes.

(By Times Correspondent)

Sayward, Feb. 18.—Rev. Mr. Bishop of the Presbyterian Church held services here on Sunday evening. There was a very good attendance. Mr. Brown stated during an interview, that he was going to press upon his church the needs of building a church here.

The residents were very sorry to learn of the death of W. W. Waugh, who died in Vancouver after being removed from the hospital at Rock Bay. The late Mr. Waugh was one of the Saywarders, being one of the first men to settle here. He was very industrious and cleared up many acres of land in Sayward.

At a meeting held in the Oddfellows' Hall committees were appointed for the various branches of sport which will be held in the new hall.

At the meeting, Mr. W. Bickford, Rev. and Mrs. H. Pearson, Colwood; Dr. and Mrs. Donald, J. Stuart Yates, Mr. Hincks, G. D. Sloan, Langford; Mrs. D. MacKenzie, East Sooke; A. Hankin, Chairman, Happy Valley School Board.

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Shawinigan Notes.

(By Times Correspondent)

Nanaimo, Feb. 22.—(By Times Correspondent)—A hospital was opened to the public on the 22nd.

The hospital is a modern, well-constructed building.

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BETTY

By C. A. Voight

-I'M SORRY LESTER BUT, I SHAN'T BE HOME THIS EVENING—I AM GOING TO THE VAN HIGGLES' DANCE—SORRY.

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-BRAINS'LL WIN OUT IN THE LONG RUN—I'LL GET INTO THAT DANCE BY DISGUIISING MYSELF AS A MEMBER OF THE ORCHESTRA—I GUESS THIS WILL GET BY—I'LL GET A LINE ON JUST HOW BETTY'S ACTING WITH THAT BIRD.

-ISN'T THAT TOUGH LUCK?

-OH, I'M SO SORRY MRS. VAN HIGGLE.

-I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO.

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REVISION OF BOOKS ON HISTORY URGED

Harry Charlesworth Speaks to
British-American League

"If we could get all the teachers throughout the British Empire and the United States to agree upon teaching certain things—stressing peace, for instance, rather than war—we could accomplish more in the direction of universal peace than the League of Nations ever likely to do," said Harry Charlesworth, of this City. President of the Canadian Teachers' Federation and Secretary of the British Columbia Teachers' organization, speaking Monday night at the Board of Trade Rooms, Vancouver.

The occasion was the election of the officers of Post No. 2, British America League, at Vancouver.

History Taught Wrongly.

In the opinion of Mr. Charlesworth history has been taught in British schools and the schools of the United States and Canada. Continuous emphasis has been laid on wars. He instanced the war between Canada and the United States in 1812 and pointed out that anyone who took the trouble to read the history books on both sides to the last detail would conclude that at the conclusion that the accounts related to different wars. He yielded to no one in patriotic, but he thought they could keep most of the war accounts out of histories or re-

duce them very much and relegate them to biographies.

Mr. Charlesworth outlined the attitude of a great conference of teachers and educationalists held in the State of Washington recently, at which British Columbia was represented by, among others, Dean Coleman of the University of British Columbia (who was present and took part in last night's meeting) and himself. Mr. Coleman addressed on two occasions, went so far as to carry a resolution, asking the Federal Government of the United States to endeavor to come to an arrangement with the Canadian Government to get a commission of educationists from the United States and Canada appointed with the object of rewriting the history text books of both countries where they interrelated. He also mentioned, as showing the interest being taken in the States, that at an approaching conference of the four Western states including Oregon and Washington, a whole day had been set aside for the discussion of this matter of better relations.

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REALTY MARKET IS SHOWING ACTIVITY

Healthy Movement About to
Develop, Dealers Believe

Things are looking up in the real estate market, according to a number of the local members of the Victoria Real Estate Board who have been queried by The Times as to the prospects for the coming season.

The inquiry is chiefly for residential property in the city of the better class, and for small farm holdings. One of the recent sales of importance was a splendid home property in Uplands, the transaction having been put through by Swinerton & Musgrave.

Another firm reports a heavy mail from prairie and other points inquiring for land suitable for small fruit growing, poultry and other purposes. Over thirty inquiries were received by this concern over the week-end.

Without a doubt, according to reporters, a very great interest is being taken at the present time in the realty market in the city. A healthy improvement in the realty market is expected. This is looked upon as very encouraging in view of the comparatively quiet period through which dealers in properties have passed, and it is with a feeling of optimism that the local operators look forward to the rapidly approaching Spring.

The result of conservative advertising is beginning to be seen, one dealer pointed out. "From now on we look for a steady improvement in the realty business, and this of course will reflect favorably on all other lines of business," he said.

NEW MANAGER HERE

H. W. Armitage, of Dunlop Tire Co., in City.

H. W. Armitage, formerly manager for the Dunlop Tire and Rubber Goods Company at Saskatoon, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon to take over the management of the local office of the big Canadian concern.

When Mr. Armitage left Saskatoon the temperature was 52 degrees below zero. "Like your climate here," he remarked jocularly to The Times on arrival. He was accompanied by J. Scott, of Vancouver, district manager for the company, who is well known in Victoria.

NEARLY LOST HER LIFE NURSING DYING MOTHER

"For six months I had to devote all my spare time to nursing my mother who was slowly dying of an incurable disease. Not being well-off we couldn't afford the services of a nurse, so I had to be with her day and night.

She was a large woman and it took all my strength to lift her. Realizing that she had not long to live, she naturally wanted me with her all the time and any spare time which I could snatch from my household I gave to her. Four months ago she died and an hour after the funeral I went into a dead faint. The loss of sleep, the worry and the extra day and night I had to spend were more than I could stand.

Then put me to bed. I contracted a high fever and was delirious for some days. For a while our doctor gave up all hopes of saving my life. However, I did succeed in pulling through but the strain and the illness had shattered my nerves. Worry and trouble had left me a physical wreck. I was so weak I couldn't lift my hands to my mouth. For two weeks I had to be fed. I gradually got a little stronger but not strong enough to get out of bed. I was determined that I would not give up. Finally one day a friend suggested trying Carnel. I was so anxious to get strong that I was willing to try anything. I never would have believed that any preparation would have made such a change in so short a time as Carnel did with me. To-day, thanks to Carnel, I am fine—in fact I never feel better."

Mrs. S. of Hamilton.

Carnel is sold by your druggist, and if you can conscientiously say after you have tried it, that it hasn't done you any good, return the empty bottle to him and he will refund your money. 9-12

WHITE MEN NEED NOT STEP DOWN

Amalgamated Veterans Not
Afraid of Oriental
Competition

White men, and returned soldiers particularly, as they were the ones under discussion, will not admit that they cannot compete with the Chinaman in the vegetable growing business and instances can be shown right here in Victoria where two returned men have used their home plots to very good advantage and there can profit. Comrade Leighton of the Amalgamated Veterans Association declared at a crowded meeting of the Association last night.

When the question of unemployment was under review the recommendation for cultivation of vacant lots was brought in and some of the members declared that it was impossible to compete with the Oriental, whose plane of living was altogether a menace to the white man's success.

Several speakers, however, emphatically declared that the only way to put the Oriental out of this business and to bring about a condition where white people could buy from their own class was for every white man who had the time out in a day's working. Instances were quoted where men who had grown their own vegetables had sold the overplus to their grocer, and got goods in return.

Guthrie had made the following suggestions:

(1) That all vacant lands under the control of the city authorities be put to some legitimate use by the owners (these being the aforementioned authorities who will sell land to cultivation on the allotment system for the provision of a livelihood for the unemployed).

(2) That the annual appropriations of the Federal, Provincial and Municipal Authorities, for the purpose of relief, be devoted as under:

to supervise the preparation of the ground and to supply all necessary seed.

(3) This ground to be allotted to the unemployed under expert supervision, who will advise these men to obtain the best results, such men to be obliged to cultivate the soil to the best advantage.

(4) That adequate storing facilities with a central body of working men be established for creating markets for the sale of the surplus produce.

(5) That the Board will also act as a distributing Board to ensure that from the proceeds of these sales, groceries and other necessities will be supplied.

(6) That the period of probation for a farmer of soil cultivation, land tillage, manuring and crop rotation having expired, the prospective farmer will, if having satisfied the authorities, be eligible to assume a holding which under certain

any conditions can be worked and become his own property by an easy payment system and the fruits of the soil enable such person to prove his right to become a valuable member of the community, a self-supporting and self-respecting citizen.

It was decided to appoint a committee to go into the whole matter and to act in co-operation with other organizations interested in the matter of alleviating unemployment in the city. Those selected to act on this committee were Comrades Leighton, Goodwin and Slavin.

Unemployment.

There was considerable discussion regarding the question of unemployment, and it was decided to appoint a special committee to go into the matter for any schemes that might be submitted for the alleviation of unemployment. Comrades Leighton, Bowden and Campbell were elected to act.

On behalf of the Unemployment Committee Comrade Kidney submitted a report showing that since December 26, 1921, the association had secured employment for 324 ex-service men. The report shows that the Government was approached by a delegation, which was received sympathetically, to urge work on the Malahat. The city has been approached to improve Fowl Bay Beach to make it a popular resort and various other suggestions have been put forward which it is hoped will put the operation into effect in a good number of men securing employment.

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